in the corporation shall vest in the Government for the benefit of the inhabitants of such local area, and how the liabilities of the corporation shall be apportioned between the corporation and the Government.

(4) When a local area is included in the city the provisions of this Act and all taxes, notifications, rules, bye-laws, orders, directions and powers, levied, issued, made or conferred under this Act or any other law applicable to the city shall apply to the said area from the date of inclusion of such area within the city.

6. Erection and maintenance of boundary marks.— It shall be the duty of the corporation to cause at its own cost to be erected or set up and thereafter maintain at its own cost substantial boundary marks of such description and in such position as shall be approved by the Deputy Commissioner of the revenue district having jurisdiction, defining the limits or the altered limits, as the case may be, of the city which is subject to its authority.

CHAPTER III

Constitution of the corporation and the municipal authorities

7. Incorporation.—(1) In every city there shall be a corporation by the name of "Corporation of the City of....." charged with the municipal Government thereof.

(2) The corporation shall be a body corporate with the name aforesaid having perpetual succession and a common seal with power, subject to the provisions of this Act, to acquire, hold and dispose of property and may by the said name sue and be sued.

8. Municipal Authorities.—The following shall be the municipal authorities charged with carrying out the provisions of this Act, namely :—

(a) the corporation ;
(b) the standing committees ; and
(c) the commissioner.

9. Constitution of the corporation.—(1) (a) The corporation shall consist of such number of councillors as the Government may by notification under section 24 determine, all of whom shall be elected.

(b) Seats shall be reserved in the corporation for the Scheduled Castes and the Scheduled Tribes and the number of seats so reserved shall bear, as nearly as may be, the same proportion to the total number of seats in the corporation as the population of the Scheduled Castes or the Scheduled Tribes, as the case may be, in the city bears to the total population of the city:

Provided that at least one seat shall be reserved for the Scheduled Tribes:

Provided further that the reservation for the Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes shall cease to have effect after the period specified in article 334 of the Constitution of India.

Provided also that the preceding proviso shall not apply to any representation in the corporation until the expiry of the term of office of the councillors then in office.

Explanation.—For purposes of this clause 'population' means the population as ascertained at the last preceding census.

(2) Nothing contained in sub-section (1) shall be deemed to prevent the members of the Scheduled Castes and the Scheduled Tribes for whom seats have been reserved in the corporation from standing for election to the non-reserved seats in the corporation.

(3) In addition to the councillors referred to in sub-section (1), the Government may appoint a person or persons having special knowledge or experience of any